Delhi area is not quantifiable, regular checks to detect irregular travel are made to contain this unsocial practice.

(c) Tha measures taken to curb ticketless travel include surprise/magisterial checks from time to time, publicity campaigns through different media and deterrent penalties incorporated in the new Railways Act.

During 1990-91, about 10,000 persons were apprehended travelling without proper ticket in the suburban trains of Delhi area and railway dues of Rs. 3.24 lakhs were recovered from them.

Decision to Open Kendriya Vidyalayaa

[English]

809. DR. LAXMINARAYAN PANDEYA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a decision to open twenty Kendriya Vidyalayas in a year has been taken by the Government recently; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor in the face of a great demand for opening atleast 200 Kendriya Vidyalayas per year?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) No, Sir, but it has been decided to open 20 Kendriya Vidyalayas during 1991-92.

(b) Does not arise. However, the opening of new Kendriya Vidyalayas depends upon the suitability of the proposals from the prescribed user agencies, availability of Physical facilities and of financial resources.

Guidelines for Transfer in Kendriya Vidyalayas

810. DR. LAXMINARAYAN PANDEYA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of guidelines laid down by the Board of Governors of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan for transfer of Principals, Vice-Principals and teachers; and

(b) the action taken to implement the guidelines?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) and (b). Transfers are generally effected as per the guidelines approved by the Board of Governors in August, 1990. A copy of the guidelines is given in the attach statement.

STATEMENT

Guidelines for transfer of teachers including Vice-Principals, Principals and above from the academic session 1990-91 as approved by the Board of Governors in its 54th meeting held on 22.08.90.

The Board of Governors in its meeting held on 22.8.1990 has approved the following guidelines of transfer of teachers including Vice-Principals, Principal and above. These will be effective from the academic year 1990-91.

1. The general policy will be not to transfer teachers including Principals frequently. The normal transfers will be affected only for organisational reasons or on request or on medical grounds.

2. There will be no fixed tenure after which it may be necessary to transfer a teacher/Vice-Principal/Principal/Education Officer/Assistant Commissioner (from next

year a tenure of 5 years for Vice-Principals and above).

3. The following sequence will generally be followed in respect of promotional postings, transfers, etc.:-

(i) Posting on promotion

(ii) Inter-regional transfers

(iii) Inter-regional transfers

(iv) Posting of direct recruits.

4. Annual transfers may be done during summer vacation as far as possible. However, no transfers except:

(i) On administrative grounds; and

(ii) Transfers on the basis of serious medical illness including death of spouse will be effected after 31st October.

5. Transfer will be made keeping in view clause 3 of the guidelines.

6. Transfers will be effected by observing the following priorities:

(a) Transfer on administrative grounds: (as in para 4 above)

(b) Transfer on request:

(i) Transfer for reasons of serious illness which, on the satisfaction of the Commissioner, KVS according to procedure prescribed by him, necessitates, such a transfer, for treatment away from the place of present posting.

(ii) Transfer from hard stations and NER (PGTs and above) on completion of tenure.

(iii) Spouse cases:

Transfer of spouse for joining the family after completion of a cut-off period of one year.

(iv) Transfer of unmarried ladies/ divorced ladies/widows to a place of their convenience after completion of a cut off period of one year.

(v) Transfer of physically handicapped provided the handicap has developed during the course of KVS service on completion of a cut-off period of one year.

(vi) General cases

(vii) Mutual transfers provided three is no other claimant of higher priority for both the stations.

7. No request for transfer will ordinarily be enter-tained unless a teacher has completed three academic sessions except in the cases mentioned in (6) (i) (iii) (iv) (v) & (vii) above.

8. PRTs, TGTs and other category of teachers in the identical scales will not normally be posted outside the region in which they are selected.

9. Teachers of all categories on appointment will be posted as far as possible to schools in interior areas.

10. Subject to availability of vacancy PGTs/Vice-Principals/Principals/ Education Officers/Asstt. Commissioners on promotion or on direct recruitment will be posted to a different state other than the one where they are posted or are

domiciled as the case may be and he/she will, normally, not be moved out of that state for atleast 5 years unless there are compelling reasons.

11. PGTs/Vice-Principals/Principals/ Education Officers/Asstt. Commissioners who have 3 years or less to retire would not be posted out on promotion/direct recruitment if already working in home state, subject to availability of vacancies. Similarly, those who have 3 years or less for superannuation and are working outside their home state may be allowed on promotion priority for their home state subject to availability of vacancy.

12. No transfer TA will be paid for request transfer on whatever grounds unless the teacher has completed five years in his existing place of posting (read 5 years for request transfers and 3 years for North-Eastern Region and hard stations).

13. Asstt. Commissioner will be competent to change the headquarter of a teacher on administrative grounds to any place within the region as deemed fit and direct him to discharge his duties there. The Asstt. Commissioners shall report forthwith the case with full facts to the Commissioner for confirmation or directions as may be considered necessary by the Commissioner.,

14. Not-with-standing any provision in the above guidelines, the consider will be competent to make such departure from the guidelines as he may consider necessary in the interest of the sangathan.

Standing Committee for Grievances of Kendriya Vidyalaya Employees

811. DR. LAXMINARAYAN PANDEYA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a Standing Committee of Deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners of Kendriya Vidyalayas Sangathan has been set up to go into the demands and grievances of its employees/associations;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the suggestions, if any, made by the Committee in this regard; and

(c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) to (c). The deputy Commissioners and Assistant Commissioners available at Headquarters in Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan sit informally as a Committee from time to time to go into various administrative matters and also matters raised by various associations. This is an internal arrangement of the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan Headquarters, therefore the deliberations of this group are not being submitted to Government for orocessing.

Privatisation of some Railway Sectors

812. SHRI CHETAN P.S. CHAUHAN:
SHRI VISHWANATH SHASTRI:
SHRI CHITTA BASU:
KUMARI UMA BHARTI:
SHRI BASUDEB ACHARIA:
SHRI SURYA NARAYAN SINGH: